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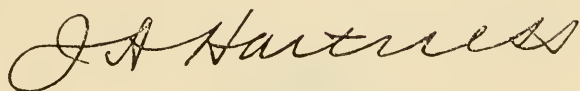
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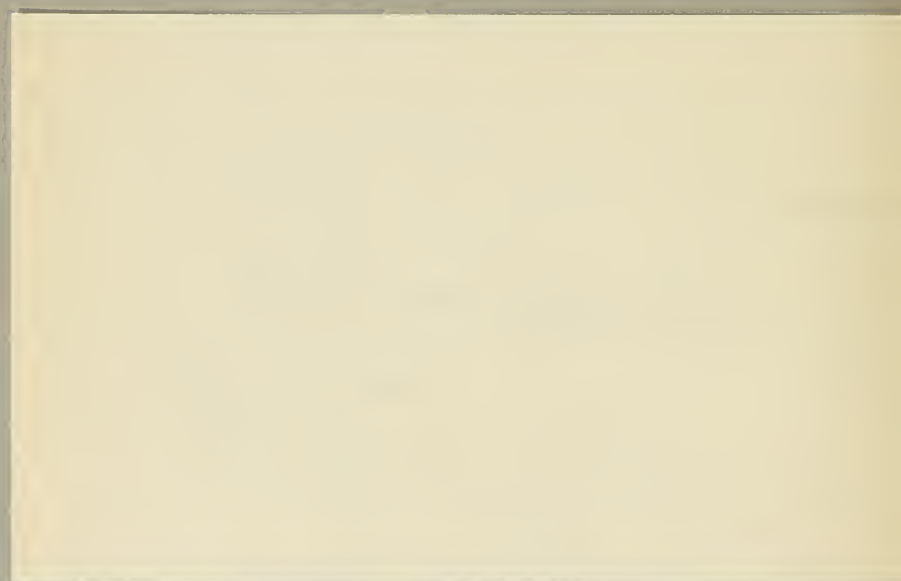
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### STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,  
RALEIGH, JULY 1, 1932.

*To His Excellency, O. MAX GARDNER,*  
*Governor.*

SIR:—I have the honor to submit to you herewith a report concerning the Department of State from July 1, 1930, to June 30, 1932.

#### CORPORATIONS

There have been 2,491 certificates of domestic corporations filed in the office of the Secretary of State for the past two years, on which the sum of \$95,806.31 as organization, amendment, and dissolution taxes has been paid.

Dissolution certificates have been filed as follows:

For the year ending June 30, 1931.....	182
For the year ending June 30, 1932.....	236

The following is a table of corporation certificates filed since 1893:

For year ending November 30, 1893.....	21
For year ending November 30, 1894.....	115
For year ending November 30, 1895.....	133
For year ending November 30, 1896.....	151
For year ending November 30, 1897.....	147
For year ending November 30, 1898.....	156
For year ending November 30, 1899.....	207
For year ending November 30, 1900.....	306
For year ending November 30, 1901.....	327

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For year ending November 30, 1902.....	395
For year ending November 30, 1903.....	554
For year ending November 30, 1904.....	540
For year ending November 30, 1905.....	697
For year ending November 30, 1906.....	821 .
For year ending November 30, 1907.....	839
For year ending November 30, 1908.....	763
For year ending November 30, 1909.....	1,050
For year ending November 30, 1910.....	1,058
For year ending November 30, 1911.....	985
For year ending November 30, 1912.....	1,093
For year ending November 30, 1913.....	1,032
For year ending November 30, 1914.....	1,087
For year ending November 30, 1915.....	887
For year ending November 30, 1916.....	1,001
For year ending November 30, 1917.....	1,008
For year ending November 30, 1918.....	907
For year ending November 30, 1919.....	1,207
For year ending November 30, 1920.....	1,670
December 1, 1920, to June 30, 1921.....	744
For year ending June 30, 1922.....	1,276
For year ending June 30, 1923.....	1,210
For year ending June 30, 1924.....	1,195
For year ending June 30, 1925.....	1,281
For year ending June 30, 1926.....	1,599
For year ending June 30, 1927.....	1,283
For year ending June 30, 1928.....	1,377
For year ending June 30, 1929.....	1,372
For year ending June 30, 1930.....	1,304
For year ending June 30, 1931.....	1,314
For year ending June 30, 1932.....	1,177

## FOREIGN CORPORATIONS

There have been 199 foreign corporation certificates filed in the office of the Secretary of State within the past two years, on which \$20,318.26 as organization, amendment, and withdrawal taxes have been paid.

Number for year ending June 30, 1931.....	106
Number for year ending June 30, 1932.....	93

## TRADE-MARKS

For the two years ending June 30, 1932, there have been registered 147 trade-marks.

Number for year ending June 30, 1931.....	61
Number for year ending June 30, 1932.....	86

BANKS

Thirty-three banks have filed certificates in this office within the last two years.

Number for year ending June 30, 1931.....	24
Number for year ending June 30, 1932.....	9

RAILROADS

The following railroads have filed certificates in this office since the last report:

Carolina and Northeastern Railway Company.

SUPREME COURT REPORTS

Supreme Court Report sales for the last two years have been as follows:

For the year ending June 30, 1931.....	\$8,219.08
For the year ending June 30, 1932.....	6,453.14

Revenue derived from the sale of Supreme Court Reports for the biennial periods since 1882 has been as follows:

Two years ending November 30, 1882.....	\$ 3,352.40
Two years ending November 30, 1884.....	4,626.90
Two years ending November 30, 1886.....	3,253.00
Two years ending November 30, 1888.....	3,762.49
Two years ending November 30, 1890.....	4,002.02
Two years ending November 30, 1892.....	2,618.01
Two years ending November 30, 1894.....	621.12
Two years ending November 30, 1896.....	6,026.89
Two years ending November 30, 1898.....	5,759.55
Two years ending November 30, 1900.....	7,692.59
Two years ending November 30, 1902.....	7,026.89
Two years ending November 30, 1904.....	9,842.25
Two years ending November 30, 1906.....	15,034.54
Two years ending November 30, 1908.....	14,661.74
Two years ending November 30, 1910.....	17,482.00
Two years ending November 30, 1912.....	17,031.55
Two years ending November 30, 1914.....	17,848.79
Two years ending November 30, 1916.....	14,161.64
Two years ending November 30, 1918.....	10,115.31
Two years ending November 30, 1920.....	16,754.76
December 1, 1920, to June 30, 1922.....	12,328.75
Two years ending June 30, 1924.....	18,269.62
Two years ending June 30, 1926.....	18,757.85
Two years ending June 30, 1928.....	20,967.14
Two years ending June 30, 1930.....	12,707.58
Two years ending June 30, 1932.....	14,672.22

## PUBLIC LANDS

There have been issued from the office of the Secretary of State within the last two years 23 grants on public lands on which account there has been paid into the State Treasury \$2,534.37.

These grants were as follows for the year ending:

	<i>June 30, 1931</i>	<i>June 30, 1932</i>
Regular grants .....	13	10

The regular grants were in the following counties:

Avery .....	1	
Caldwell .....	2	
Chowan .....		1
Dare .....	7	5
Hyde .....	1	
Moore .....		1
Pamlico .....	1	
Stanly .....		2
Wilkes .....	1	
Yancey .....	1	
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	13	10

The following is a table of grants issued for each two-year period since 1882, together with the amounts paid to the State Treasurer:

	<i>Number</i>	<i>Amt. Paid Treasurer</i>
Two years ending 1882.....	1,189	\$10,912.87
Two years ending 1884.....	1,329	13,186.73
Two years ending 1886.....	990	5,975.69
Two years ending 1888.....	893	9,493.49
Two years ending 1890.....	1,453	15,570.43
Two years ending 1892.....	1,358	16,831.11
Two years ending 1894.....	703	5,200.75
Two years ending 1896.....	547	9,234.46
Two years ending 1898.....	599	6,337.13
Two years ending 1900.....	665	6,384.69
Two years ending 1902.....	732	6,911.88
Two years ending 1904.....	789	11,230.60
Two years ending 1906.....	488	16,511.47
Two years ending 1908.....	529	16,025.49
Two years ending 1910.....	317	9,695.85
Two years ending 1912.....	255	13,349.25
Two years ending 1914.....	300	9,379.94
Two years ending 1916.....	149	5,893.88
Two years ending 1918.....	159	6,763.94
Two years ending 1920.....	203	6,716.00
December 1, 1920, to June 30, 1922.....	116	5,412.61
Two years ending 1924.....	113	4,223.87
Two years ending 1926.....	114	2,662.18
Two years ending 1928.....	161	14,413.29
Two years ending 1930.....	53	6,701.90
Two years ending 1932.....	23	2,534.37

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## PAYMENTS TO TREASURER

	<i>July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931</i>	<i>July 1, 1931 to June 30, 1932</i>
Penalty .....	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 600.00
Great Seals .....	27.50	42.50
Grants .....	1,590.47	943.90
Fees .....	1,096.90	261.40
Seals .....	348.00	100.00
Corporation Tax .....	53,968.25	41,838.56
Corporation Fees .....	5,546.15	4,402.60
Corporation Seals .....	1,721.00	1,457.00
Foreign Corporations .....	11,579.26	8,739.00
Supreme Court Reports .....	8,219.08	6,453.14
Code, Laws, Journals .....	576.63	1,698.00
Trade-Marks .....	213.90	269.70
Land Grant Seals .....	16.25	18.75
Land Grant Fees and Postage .....	10.95	12.75
Miscellaneous .....	50.39	84.71
Refunds .....	206.90	
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$87,371.63</b>	<b>\$66,922.01</b>

Respectfully submitted,

*J A Hartness*

*Secretary of State.*









